



# Ka‘Umeke Kā‘eo

Hawaiian Immersion Public Charter School

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Aloha e nā ‘ohana:

We are pleased to inform you that Ka ‘Umeke Kā‘eo PCS will continue to participate in the National School Lunch Program and School Breakfast Programs and will be participating in the Community Eligibility Provision.

The Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) provides an alternative approach by offering free school meals to schools in low-income areas, instead of collecting individual applications for free and reduced price meals.

The CEP allows schools that predominantly serve low-income children to offer free, nutritious school meals to all students through the USDA Child Nutrition Programs. The CEP uses information from other programs, including the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) and the Temporary Assistance Program for Needy Families (TANF) to qualify a school. Traditional paper applications are no longer needed.

This is great news for you and your child (Ren)! All enrolled students of Ka ‘Umeke Ka‘eo PCS will be eligible to receive a healthy breakfast and lunch at school at no charge to your household each day of the 2020-2021 school years. No further action is required of you. Your child (Ren) will be able to participate in these meal programs without having to pay for meals or submit a meal application.

Breakfast will be at 7:30-8:00am and lunch 11:30-12:00

Should you have any questions, please contact Ku‘uipo Hayes @ 933-3482 or by email at [kuuipohayes@kaumeke.net](mailto:kuuipohayes@kaumeke.net)

Mahalo,

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